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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : John H. Roop et al.
Application No. : 09/741,301 Confirmation No.: 5667
Filed : December 19, 2000
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING AND UTILIZING
ELECTRONIC PROGRAM GUIDE INFORMATION
Group Art Unit : 2623
Examiner : Michael W. Hoyer

New York, New York 10020
September 14, 2006

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Preliminary Amendment;
☒ a Reply to Office Action; ☐ a Terminal Disclaimer;
☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a Power of Attorney; ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS AND/OR PAGES

☒ A fee for additional claims or pages is not required.
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDITIONAL
TOTAL CLAIMS	24	-	24*	=	0	x	\$50	=	\$.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	-	2**	=	0	x	\$200	=	\$.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM							+ \$360	=	\$.00
							TOTAL		\$.00

* If less than 20, insert 20.
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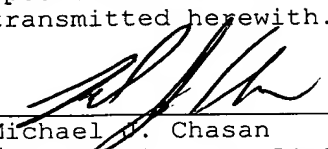
- ☐ As a result of the amendment submitted herewith, this application now includes excess pages beyond those previously paid for. The number of additional groups of 50 excess pages resulting from this amendment is _____ x \$250 = \$ _____.
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☐ \$120.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$450.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,020.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$1,590.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); ☐ \$2,160.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A check in the amount of ☐ \$120.00 ☐ \$450.00 ☐ \$1,020.00 ☐ \$1,590.00 ☐ \$2,160.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is responsive to the June 14, 2006 Office
action.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this Reply.